

DUE TO A suggestion by a senator, the President has asked our nation to observe Sunday, Sept. 8, as a day of national prayer.

A CENTURY OF DISASTER

PEOPLE who can remember as far back as the year 1900 will recall how the coming of the 20th century was regarded as marking a wonderful step in human advance.

WPA AND ELECTION

IF THE RECORD of other campaign years is any indication, this fall should see a sharp increase in federal spending for WPA.

CHANCES OF PROMOTION

MANY young men get discouraged after they have worked for a few years and find themselves still getting only low pay.

GIVE HOME MAN A CHANCE

THE MERCHANTS of your home town are essentially your purchasing agents, whose business it is to go out into the world and buy the things you need for your home and personal use.

DEFLECTION CONTINUES

Reports of democratic deflections from F. D. R. are as common today as they were in the days following the Chicago convention.

TRAGIC ACCIDENT FATAL

Donald Roth, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Roth of East Clarksville, died Tuesday morning in a Hastings hospital.

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15 Questions Asked Aliens In Registration Application Blanks Are Now Available at Post Office

Specimen registration blanks are now being distributed at the Lowell post office for the registering and fingerprinting of aliens.

Under terms of the Alien Registration Act of 1940, all aliens 14 years of age or over must register in person and be fingerprinted.

Students Offered Rate on Symphony Tickets

Through the interest of several Lowell people, the student ticket plan of the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra, which has been in effect for many years, will this season be extended to the Lowell High School.

Primary Election September 10th

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Phone your news to the Ledger.

Eat Fried Chicken Help Worthy Cause

Back several years ago the Alton cemetery was pretty well grown up to elders, weeds and brush.

Friends Rally For McPherson

The McPherson for Governor Club opened headquarters here on Monday and will continue in full operation up to primary day, September 10.

Big Safety Parade For Boys and Girls

The Lowell Rotary Club, Lowell schools and local merchants will cooperate in staging a safety slogan parade here on Friday, Sept. 13.

Mrs. Jessie Sexton, 78 Laid to Rest Wednesday

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SCHOOL CLOTHES

Fall trousers and sweaters for school wear. Large selections of most wanted styles.

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Ben Weppman is taking the baths at Mt. Clemens. Most of us have to be content with the Saturday night tub.

L. E. Johnson, local Pontiac dealer, has leased the store building at 207 E. Main street and is moving therein today.

This week Saturday, August 31, is your last chance to register with your township clerk in order to vote in the coming primary election.

It has been estimated that between 15,000 and 17,000 persons visited the 4-H Club fair held here last week, which is real evidence of the growing importance of this annual event.

Callers along Main-st. last Friday morning were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mosher of Ashland, Ohio.

The other evening while listening to a radio program over a coast-to-coast hook-up, we were somewhat startled to hear the name of Mrs. Vera Loving.

The only sad note in connection with last week's 4-H Fair occurred when two of the boys, Douglas and Charles O'Connor, were summoned home by the unexpected death of their father.

Deadline Near on Half Year Plates

Midnight this Saturday, is the deadline on first half year automobile license plates.

Strand Calendar

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Baseball

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ATTENDS PONTIAC PREVIEW

L. E. Johnson went to Detroit on Wednesday to attend a preview of the new 1941 Pontiac line.

Barrel of Oil Free

A free barrel and 50 gallons of oil will be given free, for a limited time only, with every Norge space heater sold.

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Lowell Schools Resume Tuesday For Year's Work

The Main Street of Lowell will continue to show great activity on Tuesday of next week when over seven hundred children will be walking or riding to school.

Newcomers Enroll Early

On Friday and Saturday of this week, August 30-31, all high school freshmen and any others who will enter Lowell Schools for the first time are expected to enroll.

Courses to Continue

Every effort has been made and will be made to continue the type of courses which have been offered during the last few years.

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Veterans' Survivors May Have U. S. Flag

Through the efforts of the local American Legion Post, information has been obtained as to how nearest survivors of deceased veterans may secure an United States flag used to drape the casket.

Mission Rally at Nazarene Church

The Foreign Missionary Societies of the Church of the Nazarene in the Grand Rapids Zone will hold a rally at the Lowell Church, Sept. 3.

State Fair Opens This Friday at Detroit Grounds

The agricultural exhibits are expected to exceed in number and in quality any heretofore presented at the Fair.

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Growing Pains Experienced by Kent 4-H Fair

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Improvement to Fair Grounds

As we write this column we are getting ready for the sixth annual 4-H Club fair at Lowell.

Trip to National Forest

Kent County 4-H Conservation Club members took a trip into the Manistee National Forest Tuesday, Aug. 27.

Landscaping Vacancies

There are still places for a few Kent county farm folks who might desire to have their home landscaped the coming winter.

Fruit Producers Elect

Fruit producers on the East Belt line in Grand Rapids and Plainfield township have their signs all new-painted and have been busy placing them on the highways leading to their section.

New Farm Bulletins

Two new bulletins came to our desk the other day. Both should be of interest to Kent county farmers.

JOINS U. S. MARINES

Lewis A. Houghton, 25, of Lowell, has been accepted for enlistment in the U. S. Marines.

Member When

The Police Gazette, with its lurid sporting and crime pictures, was to be found in every barber shop in the country.

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(By K. K. Vining)

To Exhibit at State Fair

Kent county 4-H Club members will make exhibits of their work at the Michigan State Fair in Detroit.

Concerning Erosion

Here is a squib we picked up the other day: Erosion. Hordes of gullies now remind us. We should build our lands to stay.

"Illiterate" Motorists

Sometimes we think that motorists are illiterate, at least they appear that way.

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Campbell's Soups 25c
Blue & White Peaches 15c
Red Beans 31c
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Green Beans 35c
Puffed Wheat 19c

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SUGARLOAF GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS lb. 5c

- Choice Meats
Beef Chuck Roast lb. 22c
Veal Stew lb. 15c
Beef Pot Roast lb. 20c
Sliced Bacon lb. 23c

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BOWL OPEN BOWLING for Health. Every Afternoon and Evening from Aug. 31 to Sept. 23

RAINBOW RECREATION Ionia, Mich. Eight species of fish make up 97 percent of the total take of Great Lakes commercial fishermen.

More Local News

George Paulinkas of Keene is working in Detroit. Last Tuesday little Charles Seeley had his tonsils and adenoids removed.

Mrs. Mary VanHennert of Grand Haven was a guest of Mrs. D. G. Look Saturday.

Mrs. O. J. Yeiter spent several days last week in Lansing visiting relatives and friends.

Frank Carr of Chicago is spending a two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carr.

Mrs. Robert Hahn and Mrs. Frank Newell had luncheon at the Woman's City Club in Grand Rapids on Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas and daughter Rozetta of Grand Rapids and Donna June Ford spent last week with Maud Seger.

Marilyn, Carolyn and Dorothy Lustig of Grand Rapids are visiting their aunt, Mrs. O. J. Yeiter until after Labor day.

Sam Yeiter has been selected as one of the cheer leaders for the All-star football game at Soldiers Field, Chicago on August 29.

Lena Reussger and mother, Mrs. Mary Lullham of Carson City called on Mr. and Mrs. Jake Staal in Keene Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin (nee Jean Rutherford) will spend this week-end with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cox of Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Robert Ford and Mrs. Jake Staal spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Gerald Staal, the occasion being little Norma Jean's birthday.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Phil S. Krum were Mrs. Gerald Frazier and Mrs. R. Hoover of Fruitport. They then called on relatives in Caledonia.

Mrs. W. E. Goodridge returned to her home in Washington, D. C. last Thursday after a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin and sister, Miss Mary Jane Rutherford of Los Angeles, Calif. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rutherford.

Mrs. James Doran, who returned home last week following a major operation at St. Mary's hospital, is slowly regaining strength although still confined to her bed.

Art Curtis, Bill Doyle and Art Curtis, Jr. left Wednesday for a lake cruise which is given by the Ford Motor Co. for dealers who have made their quota in selling 1940 cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wetzler of Milan and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beer of Sunman, Indiana, former parishioners of Rev. David F. Warner, were Tuesday dinner guests at the Warner home.

Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Simpson of Saranac, I. E. Simpson of Ann Arbor and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simpson and daughter Betty of Grand Rapids.

Fern Treat, Mr. and Mrs. A. Goudzwaard, Miss Goudzwaard of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Paulinkas, Lucy, Catherine and George Paulinkas of Keene were callers during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Condon.

Giles M. Sinclair returned Wednesday from Duke University, Durham, N. C., where he had been pursuing studies the past summer and next week will resume teaching as a member of the Belding high school faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Seeley of Snow Dist. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Seeley and family of Cascade, and Virginia and Margery came home with their grandparents, and are spending the week with them.

Last Thursday Mrs. Phil S. Krum had as her guests Mrs. Herbert Erickson and son Roger, Mrs. George Borodight, Mrs. H. J. Kibby and Mrs. R. J. Slater and daughter Patty all of Grand Rapids. They all enjoyed a picnic dinner at Fallsburg Park.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Beamblossom of Dayton, Ohio, returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mrs. Beamblossom's parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. F. Warner. Joan Beamblossom returned home with her parents after spending eight weeks here with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yex and son Richard of Highland Park spent last week with F. P. MacFarlane. All spent several days on a trip in northern Michigan. Dr. and Mrs. K. Johnston of Highland Park came Monday afternoon to spend this week with her father, Mr. MacFarlane.

Old friends and acquaintances were sorry to learn this week that Clara Findley, 67, of Grand Rapids, a former Lowell resident, is in a Lansing hospital with a possible pelvic fracture and severe scap injuries received in an auto accident near Lansing on Sunday. It is hoped he will soon recover.

Mrs. Lenus Schnipke, and daughter, Carol Joyce, of Muskegon, Mich. and sister, Mrs. Leon Seeley and daughter, Diane of Gove Lake called on Mrs. S. T. Seeley of Snow Dist. Wednesday. Saturday night callers at the S. T. Seeley home were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Seeley and son Donald of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Seeley and daughters of Cascade.

Visitors during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Morse were Mrs. George Shaw of Muir, Mrs. Clifford L. Morse of St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morse and daughter Sally of Carson City. Mrs. Clifford Morse was called to Carson City by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Strong of Culver, who passed away in Chicago and was buried in Carson City Tuesday.

Mrs. Jake Staal was honored at her home in Keene last Sunday with a birthday dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCrath and daughter, Mrs. Charity Slater and two children, Mrs. Martha Quigley, Hiram Staal and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Beckwith of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ford and daughter, Ida Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Staal and two children, and Mrs. Minerv Harrington.

Eight species of fish make up 97 percent of the total take of Great Lakes commercial fishermen.

Who keeps one end in view makes all things serve.—Browning.

Free Fair Visitors

Saw Fast Steppers

An analysis of the racing program staged at the 28th Annual Ionia Free Fair, discloses why this community is developing into an important racing center.

Thirty-five heats were raced at the fair this year, including two heats in the amateur event. Seventeen heats, or 50 per cent of the entire race program for the week, were raced at an average of 2:08 1/2. Nine heats or 25 per cent of the program were raced at an average of 2:06 1/2. The average time for the entire program was under 2:10.

A total of \$5,700 in money and prizes was distributed among 94 horses. The high money winners of the week were Sandy Signal, 2:05 1/2 and Ginger Henly, 2:04 1/2. Each won in a \$1,000 event. Each horse was awarded \$415.

"The Ionia Free Fair is endeavoring to give patrons the best to be had in horse races," Pat Beahan, secretary of speed, announced at the conclusion of the fair. "This year's program proved to be the finest in the history of the fair. Next year we expect to do even better."

UNCOMMON AMERICANS

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

He Saved an Empress

IF IT had not been for the resourcefulness and courage of an American dentist, the last empress of the French might have met death at the hands of an infuriated mob of revolutionists and another tragic chapter might have been written in the history of deposed royalty in that country.

The empress was Eugenie, wife of Napoleon III, and the man who saved her was a Dr. Thomas W. Evans.

Not long after Louis Napoleon became emperor, Dr. Evans was made court dentist of the second empire. At that time dentistry was not the respected profession that it is today.

But this was the genius of this former Philadelphia that he was held in equal esteem with all of Napoleon's ministers.

So on September 2, 1870, when news of the disaster at Sedan reached Paris and a bloodthirsty populace began clamoring at the gates of the Tuilleries and threatening the life of the empress, she said to the officers of the palace guard "I will go to Dr. Evans. He is an American. I am sure he will render us every assistance we require." With only a veil as a disguise and accompanied by one of her servants, the empress fled by a secret passage to where a carriage was waiting for her.

Then she was driven in safety to Dr. Evans' home, only to find him absent.

When he returned, he realized that it would be dangerous for the empress to try to escape then, so she and her servant spent the night there. Meanwhile Dr. Evans had engaged a private carriage and the next morning he started out with the royal fugitive on a perilous journey.

Everywhere soldiers were on the look-out for the empress but the quick-witted action and ingenious ruses of the American, more than once prevented their capture.

By spending his own money freely he brought Eugenie in safety to the coast and there he persuaded the owner of an English yacht to take her to England.

Dr. Evans continued his practice in both France and America, and his inventions in his profession made him world famous. He later became one of the founders of the Red Cross society, and upon his death in 1896 he bequeathed his entire fortune of some twelve millions to American institutions.

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RIVERVIEW INN

East of City Limits on M-31

Coming Events

The Woman's Democrat Club will meet Monday evening, Sept. 2, at the home of Mrs. Lucille Byrne.

The Good Will Club will meet with Mrs. Arvil Hellman in Vergennes Sept. 4. Members please remember business meeting to be at two o'clock.

The Garden Lore Club will meet Tuesday, Sept. 10, at the Morrison Lake Gardens. There will be a one o'clock polka luncheon. Each member is to bring own service, sandwiches and a dish to pass. Call Mrs. C. A. Hall or Mrs. R. M. Barksdale for transportation.

Chicken supper at Bowne Center, served by the Methodist Ladies' Aid Society, on Thursday, Sept. 6. Serving will begin at 5:00 and continue until all are served. Adults, 60c. Children under 12 years, 30c.

On Friday, Sept. 6, a special meeting of the local American Legion Post for installation of officers will be called at 8:00 p. m. in the club rooms. A banquet will follow the installation ceremonies.

Fried chicken supper at the Alton Church, furnished by Alton Ladies Aid, on Wednesday, Sept. 11. Serving will begin at 5:30.

As I remember him—dirty, unshaven—but polite—the difference between a hobo and a bum.

What this country needs is dirtier finger nails and cleaner minds.—Will Rogers

Spain's plan to rebuild manufacturing plants destroyed during the revolution is retarded by the inability to buy equipment in other countries.

KEEP YOUR OVERHEAD DOWN This WINTER

Insure your home against winter storms—resurface your roof with shingles, slate or tar. We do it for less... we do it best!

Enjoy Labor Day At Ramona Park

A fitting finish of the summer season of 1940 in Ramona Park will take place on Labor Day. A double celebration will be given on Sunday, Sept. 1, and Monday, Sept. 2.

There will be all kinds of amusement and a special theatre performance will be given. A special dawn dance will be given starting at ten o'clock Sunday night and continuing until the wee hours of the morning. There will also be a special dance Monday night, Labor Day.

A big free attraction will be a balloon ascension and a sensational double parachute jump. In the theatre will be a special attraction, "Radio Revue of 1940," presenting radio stars and contest winners, introducing Glen LePard as master of ceremonies. Four performances will be given on Monday at three, five, seven and nine o'clock.

All kinds of amusements are located in the park. The sensational and thrilling Derby Racer, the Fun House, the Miniature Railway, the Octopus, Loop-o-plane, novelty games, trips on the Steamer Ramona, boats, canoes, fishing and swimming.

There will be ample free parking space and facilities for family picnics.

Train Schedules

The time given below is Eastern standard time.

Pere Marquette Train going east... 8:40 a. m. Train going west... 7:40 p. m.

Grand Trunk Eastbound, No. 22... 8:26 a. m. No. 58... 11:20 p. m. Westbound, No. 21... 7:08 p. m.

Stops at Lowell for U. S. Mail. Daily.

Social Events

Flaherty—Flynn

Miss Hazel Flynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Flynn, Jr., became the bride of Mr. Ben Flaherty at a recent marriage ceremony in St. Patrick's church, Bowne, Rev. Edward Racette officiating. Ferns and palms decorated the altars.

The bride chose a white gown of mousseline with a low v-neckline, a flattering shirred bodice and flared skirt, the veil of bridal illusion hung to the floor. Her only ornament was a dainty chain and cross. She carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid, Margot Flynn, sister of the bride, wore a sheer peach gown. Tiny green bows trimmed the bride's neckline and from the flowers she wore in her hair hung a fingertip length veil of harmonizing color.

The flower girls, Romayne Flynn, sister of the bride, and Phyllis Debrle, her cousin, wore identical gowns of yellow tulle, respectively and fingertip length veils of the same shade. They led the procession, carrying white lilies. Mr. Vernon Slack was best man and Mr. George Bruton acted as the groom.

Miss Marion Bruton, organist, and Miss Bernadette Flynn, violinist and vocalist, furnished the music. The selections included "Wedding March" by Mendelssohn; "The Rosary" by Ethelbert Nevin and "Panis Angelicus," a Latin hymn.

The wedding breakfast for the bridal party was served at the Cherle Inn. Dinner guests at the bride's home included friends and relatives from Benton Harbor, Battle Creek and Grand Rapids.

For her going away costume, Mrs. Flaherty chose brown crepe with a brown and white redingote. She wore mustard colored accessories. The bridal couple left on a northern motor trip.

Ross—Doerr

Helen Doerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr of Cass City, and LeRoy Ross, son of William Ross of Lowell, were married Wednesday, August 21, in the home of the bride's parents in Cass City.

Before the fireplace banked with flowers and in the presence of 40 guests, the bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue silk crepe dress with turban to match. She wore white accessories and carried an all white shower bouquet. Mary Lee Doerr, who attended her sister as maid of honor, chose a pink silk Jersey street lined dress with turban to match and carried a white shower bouquet with blue forget-me-nots. Kirke Martin of Saginaw acted as best man.

A reception was held at the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Doerr. The couple who left on a northern wedding trip will make their home in Cass City where Mr. Ross is coach and Economics teacher in the Cass City High School.

Miss Ella Ross of Ionia and William Ross of Lowell attended the wedding.

Rod and Gun Club Ladies' Night

Ladies' night of the Rod and Gun Club will meet this (Thursday) evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Roger McMahon, Dora Jane Thomas and Earl Thomas as hosts and hostesses.

Bridge honors at the last ladies' night went to Mrs. Roger McMahon and Earl Thomas.

Honor Bride-Elect

Miss JoAnne Cahoon of Belding entertained with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening at the Jesse Cahoon home on East Main-st., in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Barbara Jess Cahoon, bride-elect.

About twelve guests were present and enjoyed the games and refreshments. Miss Cahoon received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Roth Entertains

Mrs. Ernest Roth was hostess to sixteen ladies at a bridge luncheon Wednesday at her home on M-50. The tables were centered with small vases of rose buds and garden flowers, arranged around the rooms. Honors went to Mrs. L. W. Rutherford and Mrs. N. E. Bergeron.

Local Couple Wed in Indiana

Mrs. Adah Norwood and Charles West, well known Lowell couple, were married at Angola, Ind., on August 8. They are now on a trip through Indiana and Illinois and Northern Michigan. They will be home to their friends on Sept. 1.

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Chester the Pup



CLARA bought a new picture for the parlor. She wanted it delivered this afternoon so she could hang it before Tuffy's got home.

But he was home unusually early, so he put up the ladder, got the yardstick, the hammer and a pocketful of nails and started to put up the picture. I never knew hanging pictures was that much work.

Not only that, it pretty near killed him. The ladder folded up on him twice. He finally got the ladder up again and the spot marked on the wall just where he wanted to hang the picture. He put a nail on the spot, wound up with the hammer and drove the nail and half the hammer right through the plaster. He pulled the hammer out and tried again, but this time he missed the nail and smashed his thumb. Then he dropped the hammer on my tail.

While he was in the bathroom putting a bandage on his thumb Clara put up the picture.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

You come into the world not because you choose to, or where you choose to—but because the world had need of you.—Epicletus.

Since 1100 the North Sea has miles of land and covered 144 towns and villages, according to figures just compiled by London experts.

Back to School SPECIALS

SUEDE JACKETS \$4.95. Fine quality suede, satin lined. Knit collars and bottom.

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